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IN REPLY REFER TO:  
FOIA-19-18  
5720  
Ser 107/030  
Jun 21, 2019

Ms. Jamie Hiranaka  
President, International Federation  
of Professional and Technical Engineers  
P.O. Box 786  
Aiea, HI 96701

Dear Ms. Hiranaka:

SUBJECT: FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT REQUEST  
CASE NO.: DON-NAVY-2019-008358

This letter is the final response to the International Federation of Professional and Technical Engineers' Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request that was electronically submitted via email on June 19, 2019. The request seeks Code 106.12 Memo numbers 264 and 265 dated July 20, 2018, regarding Pearl Harbor Naval Shipyard and Intermediate Maintenance Facility's (PHNSY&IMF) Building 64 with a fee limit of \$25.00. The PHNSY&IMF FOIA Office acknowledged receipt of the request on June 20, 2019. The request has been assigned Case No.: DON-NAVY-2019-008358 and placed in our queue for processing. In an email on June 21, 2019, you acknowledged that you would be willing to accept a partial release (exemptions under FOIA will be redacted) as a full release of the responsive records.

Enclosures (1) and (2) are the releasable redacted records in response to the request. Both the FOIA, 5 U.S.C. § 552 as amended, and the PA of 1974, 5 U.S.C. § 552a, as amended are considered in the release of the PHNSY&IMF records. Certain third-party information contained in the responsive records are withheld under FOIA exemptions (b)(6).

There are no fees for processing your request under the "other" requester category of 32 C.F.R. §286.12. However, fees may apply on a case-by-case basis and you may be charged for any future request. If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact me, Code 107 at (808) 473-8000, extension 2707 or by email at [leah.kam@navy.mil](mailto:leah.kam@navy.mil).

Sincerely,

*Leah A. Kam*

LEAH A. KAM  
FOIA Officer

received by:

*Jamie Hiranaka*  
6/24/19

Enclosures: (1) - 5100.901, SER 106.12/M264 (2 pages)  
(2) - 5100.1001, SER 106.12/M245 (2 pages)

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5100.1001  
Ser 106.12/M265  
20 July 2018

MEMORANDUM

From: Code 106.12  
To: Code 100 CE

Subj: **ALLEGED COMPLAINT OF ASSEMBLING FURNITURE IN BUILDING 64  
WITHOUT PROPER VENTILATION, ILLUMINATION, AND EGRESS  
ROUTES**

Ref:

1. Our office received an alleged complaint that contractors are assembling furniture in PHNSY/IMF Building 64 which lacks proper ventilation, illumination, and adequate fire routes. The report was received on 11 July 2018.

2. On 12 July 2018, Mr. (b) (6) interviewed Mr. (b) (6) in regards to building 64 and the allegations of; contractors working in the building without proper ventilation and illumination, and the building lacks adequate fire egress routes. The interviewee stated that contractors and shipyard workers conduct minor assembly of furniture such as installing legs on tables before they are delivered to the final destination. It was also stated that contractors remove the furniture from the boxes they arrive in before transporting them to their final destination. At the most, workers may be in the building 3 hours per day.

Mr. (b) (6) from Code 980 was also interviewed and he stated that the building was slated to be demolished, but that is on hold. C/980 turned over the keys to (b) (6) (C/300) for him to use the building as storage for incoming furniture to be distributed throughout the shipyard. (b) (6) also admits to seeing workers in the building, but it is for short durations during daylight hours.

3. 07/13/18

I interviewed (b) (6) about the complaints in building 64 and conducted a walk-thru. He echoed what was told to me on Thursday, July 12.

Safety surveillance;

(a) No electricity to the building at this time, so lights are not operable.

Enclosure (2)

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- (c) Egress routes are unobstructed and open from back front to back
- (d) No fire extinguishers present in the building
- (e) At the time of the inspection, there was no odor of diesel fuel present

**Answers:**

(a) Conducted a light survey throughout building. Natural light is produced via the opened bay door and skylights. Per OSHA Standard 29 CFR 1915.82, Lighting: "The employer shall provide illumination that meets the levels set forth in Table F-1, 29 CFR 1915.82, specifically, warehouses and outdoor work areas shall have a minimum of 10 foot-candles illumination". At the front of the building, which is where the majority of the work is conducted, it was 27-29 foot-candles. In the back of the building foot-candles ranged between 18-22 foot-candles. Work is only conducted during daylight hours after the sun is up and there's no evening/night shift.

(b) The building was designed without a ventilation system. The high ceiling, bay doors, and windows that can be opened, provides natural ventilation or fans can be placed throughout the building.

(c) The building has an open floor plan and workers work near the bay door. If work is taking place in the back section of the building, workers still have a straight unobstructed path to exit the building via the bay door or side doors.

(d) A Hazard Deficiency Notice (HDN) written for not having a fire extinguisher in the building. Memorandum serial # Ser 106.12<sup>(b) (6)</sup>/M264 and HDN# ODR-18-0231

**4. Recommendation:**

I recommend that "business as usual" continues in building 64 and Do Not see any safety reasons that would prohibit the minimal work that is taking place.

(b) (6)



Safety Branch Head

Copy to: Code 106

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5100.901  
Ser 106.12 (b)(6)/M264  
19 July 2018

MEMORANDUM

From: Code 106.12  
To: Code 300

Subj: OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH (OSH) WORKPLACE INSPECTION REPORT;  
BUILDING 64

Ref: (a) OPNAVINST 5100.23 Series  
(b) NAVSHIPYD&IMFPEARLINST 5100.1A  
(c) CSP 03-01-003 (OSHA)

Encl: (1) Hazard Deficiency Notice(s)

1. In accordance with references (a) through (c), an OSH inspection of Code 300, building 64 was conducted on 13 July 2018. Enclosure (1) cites the deficiencies found in the work area.
2. As required by reference (b), the cognizant supervisor or official in charge must take prompt action to correct the deficiency within 30 days of the date of the notice. When the deficiency is corrected, complete Section B of enclosure (1) and return it to Code 106.12. Your response in Section B must include a statement as to the specific corrective action taken and date of correction. An estimated completion date must be provided when requesting approval for an extension.
3. If needed, call the Code 980 Trouble Desk (471-0333) for assistance, or to submit a work request or WESR with a copy of the Hazard Deficiency Notice. If a work request or WESR has been submitted, Code 980 will assign a Facility Equipment Maintenance (FEM) or Work Order number to the request. Enter Code 980's FEM or Work Order number in Section B and forward a copy to Code 106.12.
4. If the Hazard Deficiency Notice has a risk assessment code (RAC) of 1, 2, or 3, the notice must be posted in the immediate vicinity of the hazard to ensure employees are aware of the hazard and must remain posted until the hazard has been abated, as required by reference (a).
5. If you have any questions concerning this workplace inspection or the Hazard Deficiency Notice(s), please contact (b)(6) at 473-8000, extension (b)(6) and/or via FAX at 474-0231.

(b)(6)

Safety Specialist

Enclosure (1)



# OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH DEFICIENCY NOTICE

Activity Name: PEARL HARBOR NAVAL SHIPYARD AND INTERMEDIATE MAINTENANCE FACILITY

ID NO.: N32253

## SECTION A - DEFICIENCY INFORMATION

### DEFICIENCY NUMBER

ODR-18-0231

### Inspection Date

7/13/2018

### Facility

BUILDING 64

### POC

(b) (6)

### POC Phone

x(b) (6)

### Code

CODE 300

### Action Code

CODE 300

### Location

ENTRANCE TO BUILDING

### Description of Hazard

THE EMPLOYER SHALL PROVIDE PORTABLE FIRE EXTINGUISHER AND SHALL MOUNT, LOCATE AND IDENTIFY THEM SO THAT THEY ARE READILY AVAILABLE TO EMPLOYEES WITHOUT SUBJECTING THE EMPLOYEES TO POSSIBLE INJURY.

### Standard Violated

29 CFR 1910.157(c)(1)

### Category

FIRE PREVENTION / PROTECTION

RAC

3

### Recommended Corrective Action

ACQUIRE A PORTABLE FIRE EXTINGUISHER FOR AREA AND PLACE IN A CONSPICUOUS VIEW.

### Interim Controls in place at time of Inspection

INFROMED WORKERS THAT NO FIRE EXTINGUISHER WAS PRESENT AND TO BE ALERT WHEN IN BUILDING.

### Inspector

(b) (6)

### Supervisor

(b) (6)

## SECTION B - STATUS TO BE COMPLETED BY THE CODE / ACTION SHOP

### Abatement Action

### Facilities Action Required?

No

### Abatement Date

### Corrective Action Taken

### Cost Estimate

### Cost Labor

### Cost Material

### Completion Date

## SECTION C

### Comments:

### Verified By

### Verified on

**FOR POSTING - SERIOUS WORKPLACE HAZARD.  
THIS NOTICE MUST REMAIN POSTED UNTIL THE HAZARD IS ABATED.**